SECOND ANNUAL YOUTH SERVICE STAFF SYMPOSIUM "FARMWORKER YOUTH CONGRESS"

August 20 - 23, 2001 ★ Atlanta, GA at OMNI Hotel at CNN Center ★ Space Limited - Register Today!

USE THIS FORM TO REGISTER YOUTH PARTICIPANTS FOR THE "YOUTH CONGRESS"!! Please have your case manager assist you in filling out your registration information.

Please type or print all required information below, and retain a copy for your records.

Name		Name Preferred on Registration	on Badge (If Different)	Age	
Address (* can use home address or participating office address)		City/State	Zip	Zip	
Telephone	FAX	E-Mail			
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Name of staff responsible for youth participant

Office Name

Phone Number

PLEASE NOTE THAT IF YOU ARE LISTED AS THE STAFF PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE YOUTH PARTICIPANT, YOU ARE MAKING A COMMITMENT TO ACT RESPONSIBLY AND BE A POSITIVE ROLE MODEL AT ALL TIMES DURING THE DURATION OF THE CONFERENCE. YOU WILL BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE STAFF TRAINING WHILE THE PARTICIPANT IS ATTENDING THE "YOUTH CONGRESS" ACTIVITIES BETWEEN 9 AM AND 5 PM EACH DAY. YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PARTICIPANT AT ALL OTHER TIMES!!!

Conference Tuition: \$350 per person - Tuition for the "Youth Congress" includes youth participant's cost of youth training tracks as well as provides access to opening and closing sessions of the Second Annual Youth Service Staff Symposium. Evening activities will also be planned and included for August 21 and August 22. Please see the conference agenda below.

This year we are offering a limited number of youth who are involved in our programs the opportunity to travel to Atlanta and participate in the "Youth Congress," a youth leadership track of our "Second Annual Youth Service Staff Symposium". This conference will be an excellent opportunity for youth in the 12 - 21 year age group to interact with their peers and offer input into the programs they participate in. There will be learning activities presented in a fun, relaxed atmosphere. Suggested topics are entrepreneurship training, leadership workshop, peer mentoring and opportunity to provide feedback on program activities.

All youth attendees must have a traveling partner from the organization they are representing! Registration will be limited to two youth from each member state of (CT, GA, NJ, NY, NH, MA, ME, OH, PA, FL, NC, SC, MI, IN, VA). Other states that are not listed above and outside of an ROI collaborative project are allowed to bring one youth participant, but must request prior approval from ROI before registering.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Please fax or e-mail this form to (716) 340-3373 or tgebhart@ruralinc.org **ASAP** and follow with hard copy and check. Space is limited and registration will be booked on a first come, first serve basis! Check must be received to confirm registration AND must be received prior to the Symposium. Please make check payable to ROI.

A SIGNED PARENTAL **PERMISSION FORM MUST BE** ATTACHED TO PROCESS **REGISTRATION!!**

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be submitted in writing and be postmarked or faxed by August 1, 2001. A \$75.00 service charge, per person, will be deducted from all refunds. After August 1, no refunds will be given.

Mail to:

SECOND ANNUAL YOUTH SERVICE STAFF SYMPOSIUM c/o Rural Opportunities, Inc. 400 East Avenue Rochester, NY 14607

HOTEL REGISTRATION

Conference attendees **are responsible** for making their own hotel registrations.

OMNI Hotel at CNN Center 100 CNN Center Atlanta, GA 30335 Telephone: (404) 659-0000 Fax: (404) 525-5050

Reservations: (404)818-4300 or **Worldwide Reservations Center:** (800) THE-OMNI

Conference room rates are:* Single Occupancy - \$93.00 Double Occupancy - \$118.00 Triple Occupancy - \$143.00 Quadruple Occupancy - \$168.00

*In order to receive the special group rate, you must identify yourself as attending the Farmworker Youth Symposium and register no later than July 20, 2001.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION "YOUTH CONGRESS"

The workshop titles will be circulated at a later date.

The conference schedule is as follows:

August 20: {Travel Day}

4:30 - 6:30 pm - Registration

5:00 - 6:30 pm – *Dinner on your own*

6:30 - 8:00 pm - Opening Plenary Session

8:00 - 9:00 pm - "Program Exposition" - Take a look at all the youth programs that are represented at the conference.

August 21:

9:00 am - 4:00 pm YOUNGBIZ Entrepreneurial

Training (includes 'Business' lunch)

4:00 - 5:00 pm - Workshop

6:00 - 10:00 pm - Evening Reception/Activity - Dinner will be provided

August 22:

9:00 - 10:35 am – Activity (TBA) 10:35 am - 5:00 pm - Tour of Atlanta (includes lunch) 5:30 - 6:30 pm - Fundraiser- Scavenger Hunt (\$5.00 per person to participate) Dinner on your own

August 23:

9:00 - 10:35 am – Activity (TBA) 10:50am - 12:30 pm - Tour of CNN 12:30 - 2:30 pm - Closing luncheon 3:00 - 5:00 pm - Closing plenary session immediately following.